

CITY OF ALAMEDA RESOLUTION NO. 14877

AMENDING MASTER FEE RESOLUTION NO. 12191 TO REVISE THE FEE  
SCHEDULE FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, the Alameda Municipal Code and the California Government Code provide that the City Council shall set fees reasonable to recover the cost of providing various services by resolution; and

WHEREAS, the City Council, at the August 27, 1991 Special Council meeting, directed City staff to amend the Alameda Municipal Code to reflect that City fees shall be set by City Council Resolution; and

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 12191 ("Master Fee Resolution") as amended, codifies existing fees for various City services; and

WHEREAS, State law authorizes local governments to charge fees for services based on the estimated reasonable cost of providing the service for which the fee is charged; and

WHEREAS, the Advance Life Support Ambulance and Paramedic Provider Agreement between the City of Alameda and Alameda County stipulates the County establishes user fees the City can charge patients for emergency medical services; and

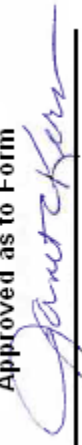
WHEREAS, The agreement states that the rates shall be frozen until Alameda County's Contract Private Provider rates exceed the rates described in the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, on October 15, 2013, after Alameda County staff found that the existing rates did not cover the costs of the actual services provided, the Alameda County Board of Supervisors approved an increase in their Private Provider rates and as such, the City is permitted to increase its service fees;

WHEREAS, the increase in rates approved by Alameda County does no more than necessary to cover the City of Alameda's costs of the actual services provided.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Alameda that the user fees charged to patients for Advance Life Support and ambulance transport services are as set forth below:

<u>Former</u>	<u>New</u>	
Base Rate:	\$1,740.35	\$1,895.00
Mileage (per mile):	\$40.05	\$45
Oxygen:	\$131.20	\$149

Approved as to Form  
  
Janet C. Kern, City Attorney

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all fees established by Master Fee Resolution 12191 which are inconsistent with fees established by this Resolution are hereby repealed.

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I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly and regularly adopted and passed by the Council of the City of Alameda in a regular meeting assembled on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2013, by the following vote to wit:

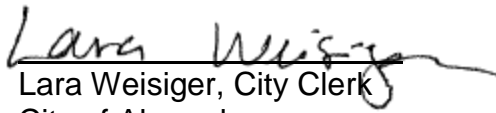
AYES: Councilmembers Daysog, Ezzy Ashcraft, Tam and Mayor Gilmore – 4.

NOES: None.

ABSENT: Councilmember Chen - 1.

ABSTENTIONS: None.

IN WITNESS, WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said City this 18<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2013.

  
Lara Weisiger, City Clerk  
City of Alameda